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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
Geography Division, ORR

Project Initiation Memorandum

To: **A** / Chief Geographic Research

Project No.: **62.1710**

From: Chief, Geography Division

Date: **29 October 1958**

1. Subject of Proposed Project: **General map of the Persian Gulf area including oil installations.**

2. Statement of Problem: (Outline to be attached)
The increased importance of the Persian Gulf has created a need for a map that would be of use in questions concerning sovereignty and oil installations.

3. Requester: **Self-initiated.**
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4. Responsible Analyst: [REDACTED]

Branch:

CG/N

5. Kind and Extent of Conversation Desired From:

- a. Other divisions of the Geographic Area (include maps):
Data for map will be supplied to D/GC, which will compile the map.
- b. D/GC Domestic Procurement:
- c. Other parts of CIA: **11**
- d. Outside CIA:

6. Estimated Man Hours:

70 hours in CG/N

7. Probable Completion Date:

Material to be ready for compilation 15 January 59.

8. Probable Form of Final Publication:

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(map only)

9. Special Recommendations Regarding Distribution of Finished Report:

10. Comments: **Map to be unclassified if possible.**

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Chief, Geography Division

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A / Chief, **Research**

3 Nov.

Date:

1 Dec: [REDACTED] called to say this Initiation Memo should be cancelled out as it is not to be issued as separate project. The map will be included in MR-57.

Assistant Director, ORR

Date:

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